

Adult Christian Education

Schedule

Fall 2011



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| Ministers: | The Entire Congregation |
| Pastor: | Roger Joseph Gench, Ph.D. |
| Associate Pastor for Congregational Life: | Tara Spuhler McCabe, M. Div. Linda LeSourd Lader, M. Div. |
| Pastoral Associate: | Stanley P. Engebretson, D.M.A. |
| Director of Music: | Ann Rose Davie, M. Div. |
| Parish Associate for Visitation: | Evelyn S. Ying, J.D. |
| Director of Planned Giving: | J. Gary Campbell, M. Div., M.A. |
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“Examining the Common English Bible”

October 23 and November 6
10 a.m.—Room 511



The Common English Bible is a new translation of the Bible using language that readers naturally speak and communicate – a common language. How might this new translation help keep scripture relevant in a rapidly changing culture? Is this translation potentially more effective given the technologies we now use to communicate? Come join Rev. Spuhler McCabe and Phil Hanna for an in-depth look at this newest of the many translations of the Bible.

“Taking our Faith to the Office”

November 6, 13, 20
December 4, 11
10 a.m.—Room 520



This series will explore how we reconcile our faith and the everyday challenges our work lives present us. Does our faith really affect our work? NYA members and friends will share some of their on-the-job experiences and reflect about how what they believe impinges, or does not, on the workday decisions they make.

November 6 Government, Government Affairs
and Elected Politics
November 13 Social Work
November 20 Nonprofit Administration
December 4 Ministers and Religious Vocations
December 11 Architecture and Engineering

Please be sure to check weekly “Calendar at a Glance” for room assignments

“Presbyterian Hunger Program”

November 13 and 20
10 a.m.—Room 511



Join this two-week PC (USA) Bible study on world hunger to learn the Biblical basis and response in passages of Genesis, Psalms and Mark to the problems and challenge of world hunger. In sessions on "The Word Alive in our World," study the food and hunger conditions in Cameroon and Haiti through videos and discussions, and consider the church's role in responding to hunger.

“Steadfast Hope”

December 4, 11, 18
January 8, 15
10 a.m.—Room 127



This study challenges common myths and misperceptions about the origins of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, presents a compelling snapshot of the present situation on the ground and offers a guide to the challenges that lie ahead in the quest for peace.

The materials offer an inspiring view of the activities currently being undertaken by Muslim, Jewish and Christian peacemakers working for justice and reconciliation. It also gives helpful guidance on how our congregation can contribute to the cause of just peace for the people who share the Holy Land.

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